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SUBJECT: LEAHY VETTING REQUEST: Candidates for CTES seminar in Washington, DC, August 2007

¶1. This is an action request - see paragraph 2.

¶2. In order to comply with Leahy human rights vetting requirements, this cable forwards the names and biodata of two MOD officers nominated to attend the Counter Terrorism Executive Session seminar in Washington, DC from August 7-22, 2007. Post has reviewed the information available on these individuals and has found no derogatory information. Post requests Department's review of these candidates and response by June 30, 2007.

¶3. Following is biographical data:

Name: Shiraqa Masjedi
Father's Name: Gul Aqa
Place of birth: Kabul
DOB: June 5, 1971
Ethnicity: Pashtun
Rank: Major
Unit: G3, MOD

Name: Islamuddin Ghafari
Father's Name: Ghulam Rasool
Place of birth: Wardak
DOB: September 3, 1971
Ethnicity: Pashtun
Rank: Major
Unit: International Police Policy and Strategy, MOD

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